

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣ ಗೌಡ.—ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರು ಸಹಕರಿಸಿ ಈ ರೀತಿ illicit cutting ಆಗುತ್ತಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತಂದರೆ ಅವರ ಮೇಲೆ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಡಾ|| ಆರ್. ನಾಗನ್ ಗೌಡ.—ಅಗತ್ಯವಾಗಿ, ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ public co-operation ಇದ್ದಷ್ಟೂ ಇದನ್ನು ತಡೆಗಟ್ಟಲು ಸಹಕಾರಿಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

*Failure of Crops on account of excess rainfall in Sorab and Shikaripur Taluks.*

Q.—112. Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Honnali).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they are aware that in some parts of Sorab and Shikaripur Taluks crops have been spoilt on account of excess of rainfall ;

(b) if so, in how many villages the crops have been affected and to what extent ;

(c) whether they have taken steps to give them suitable relief ?

A.—Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) Yes.

(b) 50 to 75 villages.

(c) Yes.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—May I take it from the answer to (b) that they have not conducted survey as yet ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—The answer is clear.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—My question was, in how many villages the crops have been affected ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—50 to 75 villages.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Does that give a correct answer ? I asked specifically the number of villages affected ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—It has already been replied : 50 to 75 villages.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—In some villages there have been crops. It is not the exact figure ; that can be given later on if the member requires.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Who has conducted the survey—the Agricultural Department or the Revenue Department ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—For this department, I got information from the Agricultural Department.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—Is it possible to conduct survey after the harvest ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Oh ! no. It is done before. As a matter of fact, in the answer to question (c) as to whether the Government have taken steps to give them suitable relief, we have replied ' Yes ' ; that means that some steps have been taken. As a matter of fact, even during the time when paddy crop was affected, the Agricultural Department took considerable pains to help the cultivators. They gave them seed and also the service of jeeps and vans to transport things. So they were not waiting for the harvest to find out what has happened.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—I am also aware of the help given by the Agricultural Department. But what I want to know is, if they had not conducted the survey in time regarding the failure of crops, is it possible to give them any relief ?

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—I think the Revenue Department would have the accounts exactly of what the yield is in these villages, because later on when a question of remission of land revenue or suspension of collection of revenue arises, the department will have to state exactly what the yield is by reference to their accounts.

*Acquisition Records pending disposal since 1947.*

Q.—272. Sri B. T. KEMPA RAJ (Bangalore South-Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of acquisition records pending since 1947 ;

(b) the number of records pending in each Amildar's Office since 1947 (the village war statement with reasons may be furnished) ;

(c) the number of records pending in S. D. Offices since 1947 (the names of villages with reasons for pendency may be furnished) ;

(d) the number of records pending in D.C.'s Office (the names of the villages with reasons for pendency may be furnished); and

(e) the number of records pending in the Government since 1947 (the names of villages and reasons for pendency may be furnished);

(f) the number of acquisition cases sanctioned, but in which possession of sites has not been handed over to the applicants since 1947 (the names of villages and reason therefor may be furnished)?

A.—Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister).—

(a) to (f) The time and labour involved in the collection of the material required to answer this question fully is not commensurate with the object to be gained by answering it. If the member intimates any specific cases of delay the Government will take suitable action not only to expedite disposal of the cases but also against the officers responsible for the delay.

Sri B. T. KEMPA RAJ.—Why did the Government think it not commensurate with the object to collect this information?

Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA.—The answer is given, Sir.

Sri B. T. KEMPA RAJ.—Sir, I appeal to the Chair to kindly give directions to the Government to furnish information because...

Mr. SPEAKER.—Yes, I understand you. On 15-1-54 under Q. 314, it was suggested that an attempt may kindly be made by the Government to get this information.

Sri. S. GOPALA GOWDA.—I want to know who is the final authority for disposing of the acquisition records, Sir?

Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA.—Before the acquisition is sanctioned, Government is the final authority, because the parties can come to the Government and ask for the cancellation of the acquisition proceedings on some grounds. Once the acquisition is ordered by Government, the final authority is the land acquisition officer so far as acquisition is concerned. If

there is any dispute regarding compensation to be paid, then courts come in. They can go in appeal to the highest court, that is the High Court.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಕೆಲವು ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ನೇರವಾಗಿ ಕೆಲವು ರಿಕಾರ್ಡುಗಳನ್ನು ಘೈಸಲು ಮಾಡುವಾಗ ಪಕ್ಷಪಾತ ತೋರಿಸಿರುವ ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳು ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಇವೆಯೆ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—You can point out such cases. It is no good putting such general questions.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಗೋಪಾಲಗೌಡ.—ಚನ್ನಪಟ್ಟಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಬೊಮ್ಮನಾಯಕನ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಹಾಗೆ ಒಂದು ರಿಕಾರ್ಡು ಮತ್ತು ಇನ್ನೂ ಕೆಲವು ಸಂದರ್ಭಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಚನ್ನಪಟ್ಟಣದಲ್ಲೆ ಅರೀತಿ ಆಗಿದೆ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರುತ್ತಾ ಇದ್ದೇನೆ.

Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA.—We do not admit the allegation that it is decided on partisan basis.

Mr. SPEAKER.—His point is whether such a thing happened in Channapatna Taluk.

Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA.—He proceeded on the basis that the decision is taken on partisan spirit. I have replied comprehensively.

#### *Appointment of Inspectors of Insurance in each District.*

Q.-276. Sri M. CHIKKALINGIAH (Malavalli—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it is not a fact that there is a proposal to appoint Inspectors of Insurance in each District to develop the business; and

(b) if so, the procedure adopted and action taken in this behalf?

A.—Sri K. HANUMANTHAIYA (Chief Minister).—

(a) The Insurance Re-organisation Committee which was constituted by Government to examine the working of the Insurance Department have recommended the appointment of Inspectors at the rate of one for each District to assist the Assistant Secretaries in charge of Branch Offices recommended by the Committee to be opened.

(b) The recommendation of the above Committee will be examined.